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In re PATENT APPLICATION of

Applicant: Po-Sheng SHIH)

Appl. No.: 09/855,761)

Filed: May 16, 2001)

For: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR
TRANSMITTING IMAGE SIGNALS)

Atty. Dkt.: SUND-201)

REQUEST FOR
RECONSIDERATION

October 31, 2003

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Sir:

This amendment is filed in response to the Final Examiner's Action having a mailing date of August 7, 2003. In response thereto, please consider the following remarks.

REMARKS

The Final Office Action of August 7, 2003 has been received and its contents carefully considered.

Claim 1, 15 and 18, are independent claims. Claims 1-20 are pending in this application.

Claims 1-20 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. §103(a) as being unpatentable over *Kotani et al.* (U.S. Patent No. 6,101,536) in view of *Saxena et al.* (U.S. Patent No. 6,259,449). The rejection is respectfully traversed.

Applicant's independent claim 1, recites an image signal transmitting apparatus for

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• Comments:

Dear Mr. Abdulselam,

As discussed this morning, I am sending you a draft Request for Reconsideration for review.

I would like to discuss this with you by telephone tomorrow, if possible, before the due date, to get your initial reaction.

Thank you.

Phillip Arnuch